# MIDI

- Originally created as a standard for synthesizers to communicate over 30 years ago, MIDI is now the standard for electronic music composition.
- MIDI messages describe note values, lengths, and pitches.
- Large compositions are composed out of MIDI messages
- Performances can be given using MIDI controllers of many different varieties.
- MIDI even has applications outside of music, such as in video games and stage lighting.
- MIDI has quickly revolutionized music.

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